

Red Cross Help Follows Island Landing by 15 Min.

Invasion Dangers Told. Wm. Burr Floats Supplies for Fighting Men

I am writing this letter although I know it may be 30 days before I will be able to mail it. By this time you must know that we are headed for a spot somewhere in the Jap stronghold of Islands.

God only knows if I shall ever be home again. Today everyone abroad seems to be trying to cover up their true thoughts. No one seems to be concerned on the surface, but they are all thinking plenty. I have tried to adopt the attitude that, from this day until our job is completed, my life has been placed on a shelf until I return to claim it.

From all indications this will be no picnic. I guess I shouldn't write like that or say such things but if this letter is delivered in finished form you will know I am all right. I will keep adding to it every minute that I can until I can mail it. Many of the boys have been coming to me just to talk things over. You'd never think that I was a Chaplain. They are starting to call me "Dad." I must be showing my age, but most of these kids are young enough to be my son. I do enjoy talking to them though. I try to get them in the same frame of mind as I am and encourage them to learn to pray.

Things begin to get quite interesting. We passed through a sea where a naval engagement occurred just two days before us. General quarters has sounded about four times today, as we passed islands held by the Japs on one side and by our forces on the other. This is one large convoy in several. We picked up more escort ships today. It seems we are thumbing our noses at the Jap Navy and their Force. Tonight I spent some time up on deck. A beautiful night, the stars twinkling, but no moon. That is a blessing—everything quiet and dark, you sense the presence of danger though. This is a never-to-be-forgotten experience, and I expect to have many more before this week is out. You no doubt have heard about a convoy being attacked by 100 Jap planes. We heard the Jap radio announce the details of it. Well, it's all a lot of Jap propaganda. We haven't seen a hostile craft of any kind although several have been picked up by radio.

Good afternoon. A beautiful day, but our first air raid on the convoy, 2 a.m. this day two Jap planes shot down—no damage to us; about 40 attacking. News up forward not so good. Jap suicide attacks on battle fleet. Later, 9 p.m. Another attack on convoy, strafing. No damage. Tomorrow is a critical day as we will be without land bases' support. Was just a little nervous this morning when they came over. We had a grand dinner today—steak, and all the fixings, fresh onions, and ice cream.

Today has been a beautiful summer day, bright and sunny—nothing of importance happened until about 5 p.m. Then general quarters sounded, warning of Jap planes all around us. At 5:15 all ships started firing. First, two bombers were brought down, one exploded in mid-air, the other dove at full power into the ocean, then two fighters mixed with our Navy planes and they were destroyed before inflicting any damage. The climax was when a Jap Zeke, dive bomber, made a

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Red Cross to Deliver Mail and Wires to Philippine Internees

Word has just been received that mail is now going through to liberated American and Allied civilian internees in the Philippines. This may be sent by addressing the individual in care of the American Red Cross, Philippine War Relief Section, APO 442, c/o Postmaster, San Francisco. Every effort will be made by the Red Cross representative to deliver such mail.

Families of liberated prisoners of war may send on 25-word message via Western Union addressed to Adjutant General, Attention Casualty Branch, Room 3050, Munitions Building, Washington, D.C. These will be forwarded by Army wireless.

The air-mail letter forms (PMG11) furnished by the Post Office Department for writing to any prisoner of war in enemy territory will not require postage hereafter. Previously the rate applicable to such forms was 6c. Air-mail letters written on ordinary stationery are still subject to the postage rate of 6c per one-half ounce.

MISS BUNDY WILL READ AT YOUNG HOME FRIDAY

Miss Bird Del Bundy of Pasadena will read Edna Ferber's new book, "The Great Son," a story of the building of Seattle, at the home of Mrs. Neastor A. Young, 209 W. Highland, Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock. An invitation is given to interested persons to

Plan for Visiting Nurse Presented to the City Council

Protest Made Against Not Enforcing Dog Ordinance. Other Council Notes

At the Council meeting Tuesday evening Miss Helen L. Woodworth, R.N., presented a plan from the Visiting Nurse Association of Pasadena, whereby a visiting nurse could be provided in many instances where only temporary care is needed which would release a full-time nurse for other work in this period of shortage. A plan is being formulated with Arcadia whereby they may take advantage of this service and when that plan is completed another meeting will be held in Sierra Madre.

The Auditor's report was received confirming the condition of the books and the cash record of former Clerk Waverly Platt. A letter was read from Mrs. L. L. Moreland, 317 N. Lima, to the effect that there are as many or more people who favor the dog ordinance as those opposed, who would have been present at the recent meeting if they had been informed. She stated that children are more important than dogs and 15 dogs were counted on a school lawn recently and at another time two large dogs killed a smaller one on the school grounds.

A request by Francis Eakman for permission to use the City Park House for a community sing on Sunday afternoons was granted.

Street Superintendent Jos. Swanson received a notice from the War Department asking that consideration be given Joseph McCloskey, who was an employee in the Street Department until his induction into the service. The Council voted to re-employ him.

A resolution was passed in appreciation of the service of Miss Marie Schiltz as Deputy City Clerk, whose resignation had been accepted with regret, and the Mayor was authorized to furnish her with a letter of recommendation showing her loyal, faithful and efficient service to the city.

Lincoln Paschall at Gulfport, Miss.

Lincoln Paschall, S 2/c, U.S. Navy, is the son of Mrs. Jack Paschall, 970 Singing Wood Dr. After boot camp at San Diego he was sent for further study to Gulfport, Miss., to train as Electrician's Mate.



LINCOLN PASCHALL, S 2/c

Lincoln has spent all of his 18 years in and about the vicinity, attended the local school and graduated at P.J.C. He was an ardent amateur photographer and is making excellent grades at Gulfport.

World Service Red Cross \$6 per Second

Dr. A. O. Pritchard, chairman of the Red Cross Fund campaign starting the first of March, says that some mathematical enthusiast has figured out that the worldwide work of the Red Cross costs about \$6 per second. In figuring out the time that Sierra Madre would be financing the worldwide service of the Red Cross one finds it is about 25 minutes. This may be an excellent gauge for measuring one's contributions. HOW MANY SECONDS WILL YOU TAKE.

Park House Scene of Valentine Party

A Valentine and Sweetheart party was held by the American Legion Auxiliary Tuesday night at the Park House. Many groups enjoyed the red festoon decorated hall. There was lots of fun—even a Barber Shop quartet, Roy Pickett, Lloyd Welch, Walter Nollac, Vinton Hoege and George Mann, attired in the customary checked suits and droopy mustaches. The grand valentine prize was a cracked duck given by Bruce McGill. All proceeds from the party will be used for Community Service work.

WITH SIERRA MADRE BOYS AND GIRLS IN THE SERVICE

Cpl. Jules Woehler is home for a 30-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Woehler, 650 Manzanita, after 23 months' service in Africa, Sicily and Italy. He is in the Radio Air Corps service and participated in four major battles. While in Italy he was privileged to visit many of the cathedrals, the Catacombs and other places of interest, but says the U.S. sure looks good to him. He expects to return to the East coast for re-assignment.

Since reporting the commendation to Lt. Alfred J. Dewey Jr., in the issue of the News last week, he has been decorated with the Distinguished Flying Cross. Lt. Dewey is with the India-China Air Command.

Arnold Brown, S 1/c of the U.S. Navy, Submarine service in the Pacific, has written home that he is still hoping to coincide with his brother, Wm. Brown, AV 1/c, also in the Navy, at Pearl Harbor. Although Arnold puts in often at the Hawaiian port the brothers have not met. However, he has met his cousin, Reginald Douglas, S 1/c, during the past year.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Shippey have received word that their son, Frank Shippey, now has a New York, APO address. Ten days ago he was at San Luis Obispo.

Raymond D. Andrews has been assigned to Geiger Field, near Spokane, Wash., in the Army Air Corps Engineers, after completing a course in Diesel mechanics at the Aberdeen Proving Ground in Maryland. He spent last week-end at his home.

Doris M. Williford writes from Mountain Home, Ida., to have the News sent to her son, Cpl. John S. Wolcott, who is stationed at the above address in the Army Air Force.

George J. Williamson has been promoted to the grade of Private First Class, it was announced recently at the Ontario Army Air Field in California. He is a Link Trainer instructor at the Fourth Air Force fighter base. Pfc. Williamson was graduated from high school in Moravia and later worked at the California Institute of Technology in Pasadena. His mother, Mrs. Doris Difley, resides at 157 Mountain Trail in Sierra Madre.

Cpl. Clifford LeGuin, son of Mrs. J. E. LeGuin and grandson of Mrs. J. C. Dickson, 169 W. Montecito, is now Sgt. LeGuin. The young man has been in training for two years and overseas since October. He is with the "Raiding" 84th Division which was the American unit which teamed with the British to capture the German stronghold of Gellenkirchen in a "perfect operation." The 84th, a part of the Ninth Army, was loaned to the British for the Gellenkirchen attack. On the first day the doughboys smashed at the high ground dominating the city and took every objective on schedule, capturing 400 prisoners and linking up with the British.

Mrs. G. R. Lovejoy, 74 W. Grand View, was in Los Angeles Wednesday to see her son, Staff Sgt. Russell Lovejoy, who is in the Air Force. He was overseas in the Southwest Pacific, was wounded and returned to this country and has been stationed at Santa Ana headquarters. He volunteered for second combat tour and left for Panama City, Fla., to attend gunnery school.

Word has just been received by his wife that Lt. Alfred James Dewey Jr. has been awarded the D.S.C. He had previously been awarded the Air Medal.

Arthur Dow Anthony is being hospitalized at the Veterans' Hospital at Sateville awaiting his physician's decision in regard to a major operation.

Pvt. Charles A. Rizzo is home from Ft. Benning, Ga. He has until February 25 to spend with his family at their home on Hermosa.

British Home Receives Proceeds

The British Old People's Home in Sierra Madre will benefit from proceeds of the tea and coffee sale given by Lord Tennyson Chapter, Daughters of the British Empire, recently at the Pasadena Shakespeare clubhouse, 230 S. Los Robles Ave.

Will Sierra Madre, the home of unusual people, put off too long the erection of a fitting roll of honor for the boys making the supreme sacrifice and those we hope to welcome back to the city, nestling under the "Mother Mountains?"

Rites Held Today for Major Hoffman

Major Henry Perry Hoffman, retired veteran of the U.S. Army since last September, passed away Friday at 375 E. Montecito. He was born in Detroit, Mich., 59 years ago, and served both in World Wars I and II, and has resided in Sierra Madre five and a half months. He is survived by his wife, who is a sister of Mrs. S. V. Cutler of the above address. There is a daughter, Elizabeth Katherine Hoffman of Walla Walla, Wash. Major Hoffman was a Mason and Knights Templar.

The services will be held this morning at 11 o'clock at the Grant chapel. Interment will be private.

Creighton Rites Friday at St. Rita's

The community was saddened Wednesday morning to learn of the sudden death of John A. Creighton at his home, 169 N. Baldwin Ave., at 5:30 a.m. Mr. Creighton, although continuing his work as an engineer in the laboratories of the Day and Night Manufacturing Co. in Monrovia, had been combating very poor health for some time. He is survived by his wife and sons, John Anthony and Edward Arthur, and daughters, Margaret Ursula and Agnes.

The Recitation of the Rosary will be at the Grant chapel Thursday evening and the Requiem Mass at St. Rita's Friday morning.

Need for Disaster Preparedness Plan Presented to Council

The necessity for a Disaster Preparedness Plan was called to the attention of the City Council in a letter Tuesday evening by Police Chief McMillan.

Our Civilian Defense Organization was designed primarily for defense against air raids, the plans of operation and training being unsuited to coping with a natural disaster, although the organization would be called into service and would no doubt be of great value.

Attention was called to the fact the City Government is responsible for protecting the lives and property of its citizens to the fullest extent of its ability, and this can be done only through proper planning and utilization of all its facilities together with the co-operation and co-ordination of volunteers and other agencies.

Councilman Bruce McGill was named to represent the Council in furtherance of the plan.

A. Robertson Home; Gone Over Two Years

Allen Robertson, FC 3/c, is home on leave from 32 months of continuous service with the U.S. Navy. Allen is a range finder on one of the Navy's finest ships and plans to do a little resting at the home of his parents, City Clerk and Mrs. E. D. Robertson, 105 E. Sierra Madre Blvd. He arrived in the city Monday afternoon. His work has taken him all over the world in every clime; in fact he is a member of the Imperial Domain of the Golden Dragon (crossing the 180th meridian), the Blue Nose or the Domain of the Queen of the Borealis (the Arctic circle) and the Shellback (crossing the equator). He has been in every battle in the Pacific since Tarawa. Another fine youth to whom we all pay our respects.

Schwartz Family Coming Home

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Schwartz, 287 E. Montecito, are entertaining their son, Thomas M. Schwartz, RT 3/c, who has been very ill with pneumonia at the Navy Hospital at Oakland. He will be under medical observation for two more months before being assigned to duty.

Mr. and Mrs. Schwartz have other good news. Their daughter, Sarah, who has been driving an American ambulance in London all during the war, will come to Sierra Madre in April. Her husband is a Lieutenant Commander in the British Navy, stationed in Australia.

BUILDING PERMIT

A building permit for \$2500 was granted by Building Inspector W. R. Lees to David A. Young, 30 Lemon, Arcadia, for an adobe dwelling at 617 W. Orange Grove.

TRI-Y NEWS

Among those students applying for membership in the Tri-Y club at Woodrow Wilson Junior High school are: Mary Lou Cahill, Beatrice Metrick, Celeste Thayer, 10-1's, and Betty McDaniel, 10-2. The formal and informal initiations will take place in Pasadena on February 16 and 23.

Dedicate Your Blood March 9th, Register Now With Local Blood Bank

Patricia Selk is New Deputy City Clerk

At the meeting of the City Council Tuesday evening, Miss J. Patricia Selk was appointed Deputy City Clerk, Clerk of the Wa-



MISS PATRICIA SELK

ter Department and Deputy City Treasurer.

Pat, as she is familiarly known by her friends, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Selk, 485 E. Sierra Madre Blvd., and they have been residents of this city for the past 14 years, coming here from Racine, Wis. She graduated from the Pasadena High school and Pasadena Junior college and later graduated from the Pasadena Business college.

She was employed with the War Department for two years, in the Medical Division at Camp Santa Anita. She was secretary to the general manager of the Warner Laboratories in Pasadena and was recently with the First Federal & Loan Association at Altadena, in the public relations department, resigning to accept the position here.

Miss Selk has a lot of personality and has had much experience in meeting the public, and says she is happy to be back in Sierra Madre and working here. She should make a valuable deputy city clerk for Sierra Madre.

TREES BLOWN DOWN

About 10 trees on the parkways on city property were blown down by the windstorm Friday, but no damage other than the loss of the trees was caused. Many trees on private property were also down. A large pepper tree on property owned by Arie Hoegee, 39 N. Lima, blew down and lies over the roof of the house on the adjoining lot on the south, but no particular damage was done. Mr. and Mrs. Hoegee are making their home at Huntington Beach for the present.

Many Attend Woman's Club Luncheon

Charles Evans appeared before the Sierra Madre Woman's club Wednesday morning and afforded an hour of clever impersonations. Mr. Evans' best contributions were impersonations of actors with whom he has been associated many years.

Many important announcements were made at the business meeting preceding the entertainment. Mrs. J. Stadden Miller, president, announced that 31 new members have been taken into the club since last June, the membership now numbering 99. On account of the club Anniversary Day the February 28 and March 14 programs will be transposed. The Music and Tea will occur February 28.

A Valentine theme was carried out for the day. A gorgeous valentine with live flowers graced the stage and Miss Clara Sykes, luncheon hostess, and her committee prepared a most delectable luncheon. The table decorations were clusters of peach bloom and valentine hearts. Miss Ella S. Bush was invited by Mrs. Copps to give a short talk on miniatures inasmuch as the giving of miniatures has become traditional with Valentine's day.

Mrs. Copps, in well-chosen words, gave a tribute to President Lincoln and concluded by asking Mrs. Elizabeth Dietz (nee Stockton) to speak of her Lincoln experiences. She lived across the street from Independence Hall in Philadelphia when the martyred President's body lay in state enroute to Illinois. She remembered being taken to the bier by her mother.

The following ladies were announced as having recently become members of the club: Mesdames William Stoddard, Harry E. Owen, Tom Moon, Lloyd Allen, E. C. Sealey, Philip Pratt, Clifford C. Ward, Arthur Barrett, Hugh Waddell, Stephen Vonakek, Chas. C. Penrose Jr., Claude John D. H. Ross, Anita Moore and Fred Griebelow.

When the Red Cross Blood Bank comes to Sierra Madre March 9, the new idea of dedicating your blood will be presented for the first time to local donors.

Now, when you give a pint of blood, you can sign your name and the person to whom you are dedicating your blood on the label is attached to overseas plasma packages.

Call now and make your appointment—Custer 5-6183, and dedicate your blood to your son, husband or friend. It will be the finest personal contribution which you on the home front can make in the war.

The time—8:40 a.m. until 12:40 p.m.—March 9—at the Woman's clubhouse.

It will be necessary to have 225 registrations for donors in order to fill the local plasma quota. Prospective donors must be between the ages of 21 and 60 years. A civilian 18 to 21 may donate but he must have a blue release card signed by parent or legal guardian, excepting married women in that age who do not need a release card.

The following disqualify a prospective donor: pregnancy, at present or terminating at any stage within the past nine months; malaria within the past 15 years; tuberculosis, past or present; diabetes, jaundice, within the past six months; acute colds and other infectious diseases; organic heart disease; undulant fever; smallpox vaccination in the last 10 days; other immunizations in the last 48 hours. A donor must weigh at least 110 pounds.

It is very important to make your appointment TODAY, Custer 5-6183.

Local Vets. Relive Scenes of Conflict

Spanish-American War Vets Fought Over Lands Taken by Our Troops

At least three Sierra Madre residents have followed the fortunes of war in the Philippines with intense interest as the scenes of battle are familiar grounds. Capt. E. G. Everett was with the 13th Minnesota, under the command of Col. Reeves on the 13th of August, 1898, when the American troops captured Manila in the Spanish-American war. They were brigaded with Gen. Arthur MacArthur, father of Gen. Douglas MacArthur, who has followed in his father's footsteps. The General MacArthur recaptured Manila February 4, just 46 years to the day, after the outbreak of the Philippines Insurrection in 1899. Capt. Everett was stationed with his troops just two miles from General Aguinaldo's headquarters at Malolos and later at Bigaa, mentioned recently as having been taken by our forces.

Dr. C. L. T. Herbert was with the 1st Nebraska troops and S. C. Straus with the 18th Infantry during the Spanish-American war and are also familiar with the terrain which our troops have fought so valiantly to regain.

General Young Tells of Visit to Russia

Says Stalin Not Looking for Conquest but Wants Their Own Lands Returned

At the Kiwanis club meeting Tuesday, General Edward Clinton Young gave a very interesting talk on a visit which he and Mrs. Young made to Russia in 1929, while on a tour through Europe. He told of their visit to Lenin-grad and Moscow, of the Kremlin and cathedrals, and discussed the political history of the country and of conditions there. He feels that Stalin and the Russian people do not want conquest but a return of the lands which have been theirs and were taken away from them when they were too weak to help themselves. He believes that a permanent peace will come when we have the power to enforce it.

Bruce Linville was a guest of the club. March 13 the Pasadena Kiwanians to the number of about 75 will attend the meeting of the Sierra Madre club.

Attend Red Cross Luncheon

Dr. A. O. Pritchard, C. W. Jones and Mesdames Florence Peterson, Randolph Wood, John C. James and Miss Jean Woodward attended the Red Cross luncheon at the Biltmore hotel Tuesday honoring Basil O'Connor, National President of the American Red Cross.

This is the first time that a National Red Cross President has visited the West Coast.

THE WEATHER

TEMPERATURES	Max.	Min.
Feb. 8	75	50
Feb. 9	78	54
Feb. 10	73	46
Feb. 11	77	46
Feb. 12	73	46
Feb. 13	73	46
Feb. 14	63	51

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ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED ON BIRTHDAY TUESDAY



MISS EDWINA RHODES
Student at Scripps College

Mr. and Mrs. William F. Rhodes, 702 Manzanita Ave., are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Edwina, to Joseph V. Charyk, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Charyk of Lethbridge, Canada. Edwina made the announcement on her birthday last Tuesday at Scripps college where she is a student, by presenting miniature scrolls attached to individual favors along with the traditional chocolates.

Miss Rhodes attended Pasadena Junior college before entering Scripps. Mr. Charyk was graduated from the University of Alberta and from the California Institute of Technology where he received the master of science degree in aeronautical engineering. At present Mr. Charyk is engaged as a research engineer in work of a confidential nature at Cal-Tech for the Army Air Forces. He is a member of Sigma Xi, national honorary scientific society.

Engagement Told at Sunday Tea

An announcement tea was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Courtney, 1186 N. Holliston Ave., Pasadena, Sunday, telling of the engagement of their daughter, Ruth Irene, to Gordon S. Lacy of Sierra Madre. A Valentine motif was carried out by two attached hearts, bearing the names of Ruth and Gordon, which were presented to each guest upon arrival. Pink camellias, flowering peach blossoms and Azaleas were used as decorations to complete the theme. Mr. Lacy's mother, Mrs. Clara Bruce Lacy, and sister, Betty Lou List, assisted Mrs. Courtney and daughter, Althea, as hostess. Tea was served to 50 guests by Mrs. Laurene Hillis and Mrs. June Beatty. The wedding will take place at the First Baptist church in Pasadena the latter part of March. The bride and bridegroom-elect expect to make their home in Sierra Madre. They met at Pasadena Junior college which they both attended.

The annual meeting of California Taxpayers' association will be next Wednesday, February 21, 10 a.m., at the Biltmore hotel.

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Civic Club Sends Valentine Treat to Olive View Girls

Thirty-two teen-age patients at Olive View Sanitarium were made happy on Valentine's day by a gift package from the Sierra Madre Civic club. The packages contained dainty sachets planned to appeal to the hearts of young girls confined by illness. The sachets were designed by Miss Sylvia Schuster and Mrs. Virginia Pratt. Miss Ruth Miles and Mesdames Gwen Dewey, Anne Tyler, Dorothy Roberts, Althea Butler, Anne Hutcheson and Rosalie Goodwin completed the handiwork.

Letters received from Miss Rosa Garabedian, 15-year-old secretary for Ward 112, poignantly expressed the gratitude these young people feel for the interest shown in them.

Olive View philanthropy and entertainment is an interesting part of the Civic club's full program devoted to philanthropic, civic and youth-welfare advancement. Other activities in these fields include membership in the National Needlework Guild, and sponsorship of the Sierra Madre War Chest and Toy Loan.

Pvt. Helen Hambrick Goes to Florida Post

Helen I. Hambrick, daughter of Mrs. Evelyn Fisher, 206 S. Sunny-side Ave., a member of the Women's Army Corps, recently left First WAC Training Center, Fort Des Moines, Ia., for duty with the Army at MacDill Field, Fla.

Since January 1 the WAC recruiting program has emphasized the enlistment of women possessing specialized skills, including clerical workers, typists, stenographers, tabulating-machine operators, radio operators, control tower operators, parachute riggers and cryptographers.

Because of high casualty lists and the return of thousands of sick and wounded soldiers to the United States every month, there is also an urgent continuing need for several thousand medical and surgical technicians in Army hospitals.

WACS are following our armies in vital office and communications jobs in all major theatres overseas.

G. R. Lovejoy, 74 W. Grand View, returned Friday from a several weeks' stay in Decatur, Ill., called by the illness of his father. He was accompanied by Mrs. Lovejoy's mother, Mrs. Robert E. Gates, and her two sisters, Ruth and Lorna, whom she had not seen for 14 years. Mrs. Lovejoy's father, "Uncle Bob" Gates of radio fame, has been visiting here for some time recuperating his health.

Henry Olsen, Olsen's Shoe store, is confined to his home, 659 W. Alegria, on doctor's orders, due to over-work.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce McGill have added a very fine Tennessee Walking horse to their stable of riding horses.

The W.F.M.S. will meet at the Church of the Nazarene from 2 to 4 Tuesday afternoon, February 20.

Friday evening in the Park house the Married Couples class of the Church of the Nazarene enjoyed a social evening at their regular monthly business meeting. The decorations and table piece were in valentine theme. The hosts were Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bentz, Mr. and Mrs. Ed White, Mr. and Mrs. Enos Gray and the pastor, Rev. David H. Metsker.

Creighton's Dinners will be closed until further notice, on account of the death of Mr. Creighton.

Several local Spanish-American War Veterans are planning to attend the meeting of Charles A. Lindbergh Post, No. 103, United Spanish-American War Veterans, at Monrovia this evening.

This will be Historical night, commemorating the sinking of the Battleship Maine February 15, 1898, and the speaker of the evening will discuss the history of the causes that led up to that war. All Veterans are invited to attend, whether members of the organization or not. Transportation will be furnished any who desire if they will call Capt. E. G. Everett.

STAGE STAR GOES WARLIKE



Fashion has gone military. Mary Martin, star of Broadway and the movies, is shown wearing a brass-buttoned, fitted topcoat of navy blue wool. The new model in the January issue of Harper's Bazaar has a deep rounded collar and turned-back cuffs. A beret of the same material completes her ensemble.

Mrs. Helen Hutton unfortunately fell in the living room of her home, 196 E. Sierra Madre Blvd., and broke her right wrist. She is convalescing at the Alspach home on Highland Ave. Mrs. Hutton was in the preparation of moving to the Hayden Gardens, N. Baldwin, when she fell.

George Tyree, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Tyree, 140 S. Hermosa, will be one of the soloists at the program to be presented by the Pasadena Music-Arts club at the University club, Friday evening. He will present a group of four numbers. Another soloist will present a group of songs written by Oscar Rosbach, a former Sierra Madre resident, who was a former teacher of Mr. Tyree.

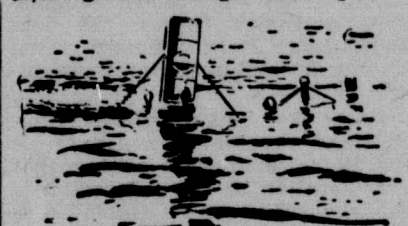
An allocation of \$3121.46 of gasoline tax funds from the county's "aid to cities" appropriation for the improvement of certain streets in the city of Sierra Madre has been approved by the board of supervisors, according to Chairman William A. Smith.

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U. S. Treasury Department

Club Sixty Opens New Dining Room

Al H. Wetherbee has opened a new dining room in connection with Club Sixty which is meeting with favorable reception. He has remodeled the building to the east of the bar into a very attractive dining room, with modern chrome fixtures, artistic and colorful decorations, and booths. A complete kitchen in the rear is equipped with every convenience.

Sam Markle is the popular manager and a very fine chef has been secured—Alex Zurluh, who for several years was chef at the Derby in Arcadia. He is a native of Switzerland and learned his art in the old country.

The dining room is open from 5 to 12, except Mondays, and from 2 to 12 Sundays.

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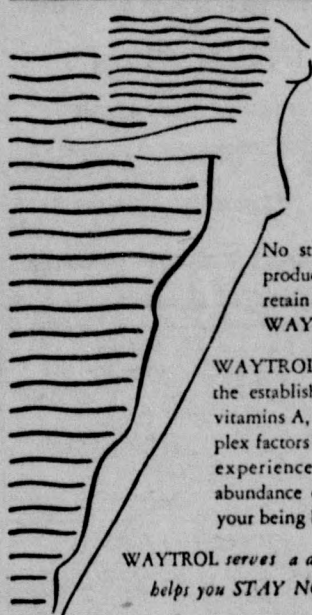
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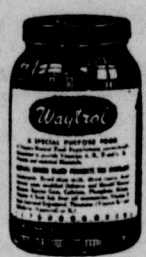
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◆ Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rogers Hopewell were week-end guests of Mrs. Hopewell's sister, Mrs. Paul James Cartwright of El Monte.

◆ George Bouvier Jr. celebrated his fifth birthday last Monday by entertaining several of his classmates and playmates at his home, 41 N. Sunnyside.

◆ This is Disease Prevention Week, a time to effect united community action to reduce the threat of five dangerous diseases: diphtheria, small pox, tuberculosis, syphilis, gonorrhea.

◆ Marileen and Marjorie Scoville gave a marimba program Saturday afternoon for 400 boys in the T.B. ward of the Navy hospital at Corona. They played 27 numbers. They are scheduled to appear at the Santa Ana Army Air Base next Sunday, Thursday at the Emblem club at the Elks Temple in Monrovia, later at the Merchant Marine headquarters, and February 24 and March 3 at Camp Haan.

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"ARTIS NATURA MAGISTRA"

(Nature the teacher of art)

At random, art chatter from the manuscript.
by F. W. van West

Visit to the Atelier of a Restorer
(2nd of 12 articles)

Ladies and Gentlemen:

This lovely morning let us visit the atelier of a restorer of paintings. In this case it is a man (for there are some women engaged in that business), whom we find examining a painting, the darkened portrait of a sea captain.

"How do you do, sir? Some friends of mine are just burning with curiosity to know how it is all done. Would you explain?"

"Gladly, come over to the easel. What you see here is the portrait of a sea captain, probably painted circa 1835 or 1840. It is of American make and the clothes he wears determine the period. The canvas as you see has a bad tear which after the portrait is cleaned shall have to be mended. No name to identify the artist, and there is no name on the back of the canvas to identify its make; however, the canvas is constructed out of coarse cotton fibre, easily detected by burning a strand of it. You see if it were wool it would form an acrid-smelling little ball; if it were linen the fibre would be lots longer and its ashes white and straight; jute leaves a long curly ash, but cotton leaves a white, fine ash and hardly any amount of it.

"You notice where the rest of the painting is smoothly and thinly painted. The head of the captain stands out as if in relief. The reason for that is, that in the 1830's and 40's there existed on the New England Coast a group of what you might call commercial portrait artists, who during the winter months would make up canvases with the current mode of wearing apparel of ladies, gentlemen and men of the service. In each case they left a space for the head to be inserted later, for clothes could be stereotyped; however, faces have to bear the likeness of the sitter, and in order to get this likeness often numerous casts have to be tried one on top of the other, piling up the paint in many cases, markedly thicker than the rest of the canvas space. Notice also that no hands are visible to impair the speed of the artist. In the summer time we find these so-called artists roaming the countryside to neighborhood villages and towns to execute their orders on the spot, usually in pairs. The one who had prepared the clothes very seldom would do the face. The nearest approach to the wearing of fine clothes some of the New England farmers and their wives had, was in the portraits so painted.

"This is, however, not to imply that there were no bona fide portrait artists at that time in the Eastern part of the U.S. There were, to mention a few, Gilbert Stuart (1755-1828), Vanderlyn (1776-1852), Rembrandt Peale (1787-1860), Waldo (1783-1861), Jewett (1795-1873), Samuel Morse (1791-1872) and a number of others, all artists of high repute and some of superior skill.

"Now let us examine the frame. Gold leaf, in places rubbed thin so the wood of the frame is visible. Of the style and type commonly used from 1820 to 1840. The wood is Eastern cedar. Bevel-cuts are made by a hand saw, and the overlap that holds the picture in place is hand-gouged. So I

come to the conclusion that the frame is about as old as the painting. This can, however, not be said of the stretcher (the wooden affair the painting is tacked to). It is nailed to the frame by four square hand-wrought nails and there are no other nail holes. These four nails are also forming four nail holes in the frame, but there are an additional four holes in the frame missing in the stretcher.

"The stretcher which is made of fir has two mitered reinforcements or keys in the middle of the two longer bars of the structure. This kind of stretcher was made by a Philadelphia firm who started in business in 1871, so that the restretching of the picture happened between 1871 and 1893 when no more square nails were used, and by the tacks that hold the canvas to the stretcher I would say that the picture was restretched circa 1880. And do you notice the extra nail holes in the canvas, not to be found in the stretcher? That is still more proof of restretching.

"The next step is to remove the picture from the stretcher, that is, pull all the tacks, and put them with the square hand-wrought nails and the corner-stretcher keys in an envelope. See these bits of straw, wool, pine needles and fengrove seeds, mixed with the fine mica-saturated silty dust particles? That tells me that although the portrait was made in the Atlantic Coast region, it certainly later was moved to the Middle West, most likely in the Dust-Bowl. All this is put in the same envelope and turned over to the owner of the picture.

The next step is to place the picture face down on a perfectly level table, cut a piece of canvas the size of the picture, cover both with a permanent elastic waterproof glue (casein containing puffed) and place together. Now use an electric iron moderately warm and iron for from 30 to 45 minutes, using straight strokes, starting from the middle towards the edges. This is called re-lining a painting. Weights are put on the canvas evenly distributed and that is all for today.

"If you think you can stand another dose of this, come back tomorrow when the picture is going to be put back on the stretcher, cleaned and restored.

"So shall I say

Au revoir?"

F. W. van WEST.

P. S. The word "canvas" from the Latin "cannabis" meaning hemp.

◆ Harold F. Roberts underwent a tonsillectomy performed Monday by Dr. W. G. Scanlon of Pasadena. He is resting at home as comfortably as could be expected.

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AN INSPIRED LETTER FROM ONE OF OUR BOYS

*GOD Moves in a Mysterious Way
His Wonders to Perform—*

As I sat wondering what I would say regarding the National Red Cross Drive beginning March 1, I opened a letter just received from Deane Damon, who was manager of our vegetable department and well known to many people in "Ourville."

I think everybody who knew Deane will be pleased to hear from him. Therefore we will share a part of his letter with you:

"As to action, it has been rough in every conceivable sense of the word.

"I came through in pretty good shape, at least I didn't stop any of the hot lead that came my way—one can whip anything but that stuff, even those five foodless days. I lost more weight than I care to mention or could ill afford to lose. Yet I was glad I didn't have an extra pound to drag over them danged mountings. Naturally we had to hit it in the rain. GOD greased the tortuous straight-up trails HE figured the Nips would use. HE didn't have time to dry 'em before we came along. Feet weren't much good. Used vines and bushes to haul ourselves up by. And still a guy could smile once in a while,—not a laugh 'cause nothing was funny—but we could still eke out a grin,—the acid test for this thing called 'Morale'. These dough-boys have got it, let me tell you!

"Bravery beyond the call of duty is a commonplace thing. Ravages of war and even death itself become commonplace. I'm not saying I get used to it but in one sense of the word one does. If you didn't you'd certainly be worthless. When the rough stuff comes you'd go out of your mind!

"These men have proven themselves glorious in battle,—not once but time after time, day after day. Those who fell did it just that way—gloriously. They died for a purpose, to the best of their ability. At the time one is apt to wonder if that is sufficient compensation, especially when they are your best buddies. It is, certainly, when considered from a more impartial viewpoint. GOD has led us through many paths of darkness. What cause have we to wonder about the future?

"I'd hate to think what would happen if HE were not on our side and we were not in the right. God and why we fight are inseparably one. Even in New Guinea I was mixed up—confused—then I found myself—began to rationalize things—straighten my befuddlement out. Now outwardly surrounded by fast-moving war—I am inside at peace. I know what I am doing and whereof I speak.

"I find this victory greater than any victory gained on the battlefield. 'Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for THOU art with me'—yea, though I did, I didn't, for HE was and is with me. I helped not only myself but others with those few potent words."

Love as always,
Deane.

We Americans loathe war. Our men hate to kill. Thousands upon thousands of them are weary beyond all words, of the beastly, sordid, filthy things they have to do. Yet if they are able to do the things they are called upon to do and can still come up smiling—is anything we are asked to do comparable to this?

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DECEMBER 31, 1944

ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
Cash.....	\$ 756,773.73	Savings Accounts.....	\$27,251,568.36
Working capital for current operating expense, and use in general transactions of the business.		These are the Savings accounts owned by the general public. They are insured up to \$5000 for each person by the Federal Savings and Loan Insurance Corporation.	
United States Government Bonds.....	17,923,483.91	Advances.....	6,900,000.00
These bonds, purchased by Coast Federal to aid the War effort, assure the Association of this dollar amount in cash security.		For the purchase of Bonds during War Bond drives, to be paid back between War Bond drives.	
First Mortgage Real Estate Loans.....	17,287,718.92	Loans in Process.....	9,502.92
Our Association is assisting 6852 Los Angeles families to own their own homes, with an inexpensive, long-term loan which pays off the complete obligation in easy monthly payments.		This represents the amount of money which will be paid to borrowers as they qualify for payment on their loans.	
Interest Receivable.....	2,138.56	Taxes and Insurance Paid In Advance.....	62,416.05
Loans on Savings Accounts.....	2,915.66	This money, which has been saved by our home owners, will be used to pay taxes and insurance for them.	
Temporary loans are often made by investors on Savings accounts so that their earnings will not be interrupted by withdrawals.		Escrow and Accounts Payable.....	13,923.20
Real Estate Owned.....	73,728.67	Reserves and Surplus.....	2,378,718.70
This well located real estate, owned by Coast Federal, is appraised at \$129,575.00.		This amount represents accumulated reserves and surplus.	
Real Estate Sold on Contract.....	57,336.64		
Balance due us from purchasers who are establishing required ownership before receiving Deed to their property.			
Stock in the Federal Home Loan Bank.....	417,000.00		
Membership and stock ownership in the Federal Home Loan Bank system places several million dollars of additional money at the disposal of our Association, if and when we should desire it.			
Other Assets.....	95,033.14		
Furniture and fixtures, collection accounts, and other resources acquired in the ordinary conduct of business.			
TOTAL.....	\$36,616,129.23	TOTAL.....	\$36,616,129.23

Earnings on Coast Federal Savings Accounts are paid semi-annually, after ample provisions have been made for increasing reserves and surplus of the Association. A Dividend rate of 2 1/4% per annum was declared by the Association's Board of Directors for the six months period ending December 31, 1944. This Dividend was credited or paid in cash to each member of the Association.

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China's Reopened Door

In reopening China's "back door" American military and engineering skill combined to lick one of the toughest construction problems ever undertaken.

The New Lado Road was built while American and Chinese fought the Japs, the jungles, the plagues, the monsoons and the mountains.

Now that land communications have been re-established, thousands of American trucks, built especially for use in this theatre of war, will be pouring into China with the supplies which Chiang Kai-shek needs. Many vehicles will remain in China to ease the desperate transportation shortage.

The fact that the Lado Road will handle substantially more traffic than the Burma Road, will enable our trucks to exceed their performance of a few years ago when they hauled astounding quantities of war materiel over the old highway. American trucks in this war have been one of the most important transportation factors both in the war zone and on the home front.

Unfortunately, the supplies we will now send into China came at a late hour on the war clock. The Japanese have already succeeded in virtually cutting China in two and are driving to complete their control of the Hankow-Canton railway.

It is to be hoped, however, that the new flow of supplies through the "back door" of that country will enable her armies to give us substantial aid when we land on the China Coast, to open the "front door" also.

DO YOU RECALL?

Taken from the files of the News, February 14, 1930

All applications for appointment as census enumerators will be returned beginning February 12, except those coming from disabled veterans, their wives in case the veteran could not accept and widows of veterans.

Sierra Madre Police officers attending a course in "Criminal Law and Procedure" in Los Angeles are: Guy F. Scott, W. D. Richards, Harlen Gerlach, H. Peterson and G. G. McMillan.

Miss Josephine Wright of W. Alegria received the highest grade in the recent Red Cross First Aid class conducted here.

Water Superintendent Lynde reported at the Council meeting progress in laying the new water mains, one being laid at the present time on E. Grand View, this being an eight-inch pipe. Another, a 12-inch main, will be placed shortly on Lima street and a 14-inch main master in the Canyon on Woodland Dr.

The real estate market showed an increase of 70 per cent in the volume of January over those of December.

Taken from the files of the News, February 14, 1907

Two bad runaway accidents were recorded in this issue. A couple coming down one of the steep hills were thrown from their carriage as it rounded a bend at fast speed and the vegetable man had his relishes spilled over the porch of a customer as his wagon was demolished.

Dr. D. N. L. Newberry has come from Los Angeles and opened business here. He is recently from New York City where he had a large practice.

All women residents of Sierra Madre interested in the organization of a woman's club in this city are invited to meet at the rectory on Laurel Saturday afternoon, February 16. Mrs. J. M. Campbell, Mrs. L. C. Torrance, Mrs. W. B. Crisp, Mrs. M. G. Criswell, Mrs. M. W. Copps, Mrs. W. S. Andrews and Mrs. J. A. Osgood.

On Monday evening the formal dedication of the new organ of the Church of the Ascension will take place.

PEN SKETCHES

By LEE McCARTY

DOC

When Barnum said "there's a sucker born every minute" he meant fellows like B, the lawyer, and me. I lost a pair of pottery figures in the deal, while B and the lawyer lost \$75. Perhaps I should mention the 30 bottles of wine, 28 man-sized meals, and the wastepaper basket which had to be thrown away since Doc spat-tered it all up.

The old fellow who "took us" wore a 10-gallon hat and claimed he hailed from Pleasant Valley, Ariz. At least he smelled like some ranch or other. He was convincing, too, especially about owning two pets, a lion and a deer which were supposed to caper and frolic about his large ranch-house. B was offered a commission to travel down to pleasant Valley and paint the lion and deer on a canvas 25x50 ft. That is how the Arizona man who styled himself Doc came to stay at the artist's studio for a few days. When Doc got his teeth fixed they would leave in his Cadillac.

He could yarn the tallest tales a man ever listened to. He vouched to have been on the Davies' expedition into Alaska where they un-iced a mastodon buried in a glacier. He said the meat was fresh and good, and that this leviathan, which was millions of years old, had tropical vegetation in its stomach still green and fresh enough for a salad! Talk about your Baron Munchausen or Tom Pepper! Also added that he killed a spider down in Nicaragua which was big enough to eat a man. Said the mouth, its eyes, and long red hairs were now the property of the Smithsonian Institute. It's a good thing he stopped here, for I was about to reach for my hat.

The old boy could sing wild cowboy songs by the skad and yodel, tapping his foot in time to his pinging away on a single mandolin string. How's this for a bit of original verse: "Out on the desert he buried a man Head-fust with his feet stuck out

o' the sand, And on his boots he hung a sign: 'Keep movin', Stranger, these dig-gin's is mine.'"

He sang another tune about not wanting to be a cowboy's sweetheart, and so on.

He claimed his "Chinese boy" made a whistle out of bamboo and that he'd pipe on it and bring an eagle down from the mountain. The great bird would eat its fill of meat and take the remainder in its talons and soar up to its mate in the craggy heights. At about this point he started to expand. President Roosevelt fit perfectly into the long chain of visitors who came to Pleasant Valley to see him. Old Doc took a swig of wine and out another chew which he spat with a ping into the wastepaper basket. Yep, F. D. R.'s eyes 'about fell out of his head when he saw the smythyst crystals in the ceiling of my study. Didn't like my pet lion a bit. I showed the President how she'd go and git my red, white, or black slippers when I gave the signal....

The old boy also remarked he had absolutely no use for Hoover, since this man and he had mining deals in which he came out on the short end of the stick.

Said he owned a part of the Petrified Forest in Arizona, having sold off a piece of it to the government years ago.

How the old duffer could gzzle wine! He went at it like a horse wrangler who hadn't hit

town in 10 years. It was funny to watch him take out a plug of tobacco from his mouth, pour down the wine at one gulp, and then sprinkle Copenhagen over his wadded chew and stuff it where his yellow molars could go to it again.

Well, the upshot of our friendship with the world's greatest liar was, Doc didn't come back one day to the studio. He had borrowed \$75 from B, and the lawyer on some smooth pretext and stepped out to fetch his Cadillac from a Pasadena garage. I had made him a present of two pottery figures and he was to

bring me an amethyst ring (one of his hobbies making these) when they returned from Arizona. The B's had their stuff all packed, paints and all, and waited for Doc to roll to their door in his Cadillac. No car. No Doc.

"That old skallywag," cried Mrs. B. "I fed 'im 28 round meals—ate like a slob, he did—poured 30 bottles of wine into his sandpaper gullet, and he skips out. Not even a good-bye or thank you! He had my husband all keyed up to paint his lion and deer. If ever I see him I'll snatch him bald!"

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS

The News extends birthday greetings and its best wishes this week to the following Sierra Madrens, whose birthdays are indicated...

FEBRUARY 16—

Viola Wagner, Dolly Wagner, Terence McClosky, Nellie Ann Miller.

FEBRUARY 17—

Phyllis Evans, Mary A. Kiggins, Mrs. W. G. Evans.

FEBRUARY 18—

Patricia Seik, Harold Roberts, Raymond Andrews, Elizabeth Steinberger, David C. Osti.

FEBRUARY 19—

Carol Elaine Cavalier, John Montgomery.

FEBRUARY 20—

Myron Wernicke, Mrs. Edward Cospetti, Mrs. Vada Lass, Mrs. Mary Holland, Merrill A. Smith.

FEBRUARY 21—

Jerry Brown, Carl Hansen, Arthur Johnson Jr.

FEBRUARY 22—

Mrs. George Ellridge Tyree, Mrs. Roy H. Pickett, Melvin Hill, Mrs. Ben Lyon, Mrs. Cora Panzer, Mrs. C. M. Morrison, Mrs. Leona McClelland, Mrs. Raymond Simpson, Mrs. Isabelle Davis, Gordon Brooks, Mary Spurgeon.

FIRE FLAMES

Never does a windstorm such as we experienced last week present itself, that the firemen are not all chafed from sitting on "needles and pins." This torture was suddenly made worse when a fire call came in to the station just when the wind was at its worst. We will never be able to entirely forget the "Dairy Fire" of some time past which was the result of a terrific windstorm. It might be just as well that we remember it. The fire call last week was entirely due to disarranging the burning ordinance and the accumulation of a hazardous growth of vines which were permitted to grow along a fence. If those people who insist that "there is no danger" could see the results of these careless acts, they perhaps might believe the fire officials, who plead with them to be careful. And again, it probably wouldn't do them any good. Some people are like that.

A handy garden hose has once more proven of great value. The immediate application of water to a small fire will usually control it. Most sections of Sierra Madre have such water force that a stream can be thrown to a considerable distance with a garden hose, and its use at the early part of the most recent fires has saved much damage. Never a fire call that we don't hear the expected "fire department panning." The latest one is that the "fire was put out by the plumber, while the firemen looked on." This fellow didn't know that the plumber is one of the oldest and hardest working firemen of the whole lot. And he failed to realize that as long as there is no immediate danger, these brother firemen will not object to a plumber doing all the work.

The regular annual election of officers for the coming year was held last Friday evening, resulting in Jim Heasley being re-elected Chief, Joe Swanson secretary and Charlie Brown treasurer. There was not particular consternation and the results must have been satisfactory to all, including the "Northwest Corner."

SIERRA MADRE SCHOOL CAFETERIA MENU

Week of February 19-21

MONDAY—

Potato soup; lettuce-avocado salad; ice cream; milk, 5c each. Plate lunch: Meat loaf, Harvard beets, green salad, ice cream, 15c.

TUESDAY—

Vegetable-beef soup; cabbage slaw; ice cream; milk, 5c each. Plate lunch: Cheese fondue, peas, carrot-pineapple salad, fruit gelatin, 15c.

WEDNESDAY—

Pea soup; fruit salad; ice cream; milk, 5c each. Plate lunch: Spanish rice, string beans, Waldorf salad, cake, 15c.

THURSDAY—

Pea soup; fruit salad; ice cream; milk, 5c each. Plate lunch: Spanish rice, string beans, Waldorf salad, cake, 15c.

FRIDAY—

Pea soup; fruit salad; ice cream; milk, 5c each. Plate lunch: Spanish rice, string beans, Waldorf salad, cake, 15c.

SATURDAY—

Pea soup; fruit salad; ice cream; milk, 5c each. Plate lunch: Spanish rice, string beans, Waldorf salad, cake, 15c.

SUNDAY—

Pea soup; fruit salad; ice cream; milk, 5c each. Plate lunch: Spanish rice, string beans, Waldorf salad, cake, 15c.

SEA-FOOD
Oysters R in Season
TAVERN

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Ask the Professor

By H. F. Noake

Dear Professor:

Some weeks ago my favorite uncle, on his way home from his dental office, fell into a street excavation and was killed. Bought a fine tombstone but can't settle on a fitting epitaph. Please suggest one and oblige. Signed, Favorite Niece.

Answer: Near Niece: Why not this modest inscription, "Filled the Wrong Cavity."

Dear Professor:

Went shopping for a diamond ring. The little woman craves one but, gosh! they are high. One karat stuff brings \$3000. Ain't that an inflated value? Signed, Private Hobson.

Answer: Dear Hobby: Seems to me that's asking a lot of lettuce for one measly karat.

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BUSY DAYS FOR GIRL SCOUTS

The regular monthly meeting of the Sierra Madre Leaders association was held last Thursday in grammar school, with Mrs. J. J. O'Connor, chairman, presiding. Mrs. Ross Marshall gave an interesting review on the life of Juliette Low, founder of Girl Scouting in the United States. Mrs. Walter Nollac announced a "Play Day" to be held in the city park, Washington's birthday, February 22, at 1 p.m., all troops participating. The afternoon will commence with Scouts contributing to the Juliette Low Memorial fund, dropping their money in a small replica of the Swiss chalet in Switzerland. During the war years this fund is collected to help underprivileged children around the world. Games of all kinds will be enjoyed and refreshments served at the close.

Mrs. Sam Haskins reported a recent Mothers' Tea and Court of Awards at the home of Mrs. Colin Timmons. The following girls won first-class badges: Ginger Timmons, Anne Tremaine, Sally O'Donnell, Sally Jones and Maryanna Haskins. Book binding, clothing and cook badges were also presented.

Troop No. 3 is busy making Valentines for the children's ward in the General hospital and planning sketches for the World Knowledge badge. Troop No. 4 made nut cup Valentines for the Crippled Children's home at Chino, Calif., and they are busy with cooking, sewing and painting badges.

Mrs. R. G. Quinton was welcomed as the new leader for Troop No. 4, to the Leaders association.

Delicious refreshments were served to the following mothers: Mesdames Lloyd Murphy, Raymond Simpson, Ross Marshall, Lloyd Welch, H. Shotwell, Raymond Andrews, Ralph Smythe, Steve O'Donnell, Sam Haskins, Carl Annas, A. E. Gourdeau and Mrs. Frank Spencer, a special guest.

The regular monthly meeting of the Girl Scout Council will be held this evening, February 15, at the home of Mrs. H. S. Dowling, 514 Ramona Ave., at 8 o'clock.

WIDENED HIGHWAY

The Alaskan Highway, originally specified as a three-lane military thoroughfare, has been widened in places to care for another lane of traffic, the Automobile Club of Southern California has been informed. Nearly all of the permanent bridges planned along the route have been built, including the \$1,000,000 suspension bridge over the Peace river.

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Life is going at such a pace a person can't even have a pleasant dream. You work and worry all day and at night you wake up and wonder what in 'ell woke you up or who in 'ell is after you.

It was probably one of gossip's victims who said: "When a woman talks to herself, it's a monologue; but when she talks to another woman, it's a catalog."

We're not vouching for the truth of this story, but 'tis said that one of our newer brides walked into a local store last week-end and asked for a pound of lard.

"Sorry," said the clerk, "lard is frozen."

To which the young Mrs. replied: "That's all right, I'll take a pound anyway. Freezing doesn't hurt lard!"

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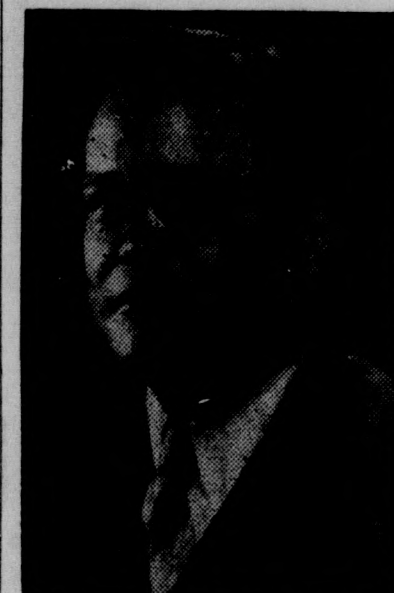
Two hundred seventy-one hours of community service and war activities in the past two weeks were reported. This included a wedding for a service man and his bride who were strangers in the community; Scout work, Russian Relief, Greek Relief, Red Cross, Church club and PTA work. Child welfare chairman, Sylvia Quittner, reported an 18th District layette being presented to a soldier's wife living here. The secretary read an interesting letter from Stanton Irvine, also one from our absent member, Berdie Whitley of Greenwood, Calif.

It was reported that member, Dolly Hill and husband, Colin, have sold their home and are to move to New Mexico.

The highlight of the evening was given by "Grandma" Koon, who reported twin daughters born to daughter Betty, a former Junior member. Our unit has just celebrated its 20th birthday anniversary and this is the first set of twins recorded. The meeting was followed by a social hour and a delicious tamale pie supper served by our hostess, Catherine Miller. Our next meeting will be Thursday, February 22, meeting place to be announced later.

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Local banking circles received word today that the Coast Federal Savings and Loan Association of Los Angeles is now the largest institution of its kind in



JOE CRAIL
Coast Federal President

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Joe Crail, Coast Federal president, pointed out that the latest financial report issued December 31, 1944, showed an increase of 42.2 per cent in assets over December 31, 1943.

Highlighted in Coast Federal's fiscal setup were more than \$27,000,000 in savings accounts, and a total of \$17,923,484 in Government bonds, an increase of \$11,650,375, or 187 per cent over a year ago.

Crail said: "The Association paid out \$311,642 in dividends for the period ending December 31, 1944, at the rate of 2 1/2 per cent, to more than 18,000 investors. Coast Federal now has over 25,000 members, including the borrowing members."

In addition to this the association president states the reserves and surplus of Coast Federal have increased 8.4 per cent over December 31, 1943, to \$2,378,719. The report indicated cash on hand in excess of \$756,000.

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191 W. Sierra Madre Blvd. Rev. David H. Metaker, pastor. Sunday morning Bible School, 9:45. Morning worship, 11 a.m. Young People's Service, 6:30. Evangelistic Service, 7:30 p.m. Mid-week prayer meeting, 7:30. Wednesday.

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Notice is hereby given that the petition of Ralph E. Valencia for the probate of the will of the above-named deceased and for the issuance of Letters Testamentary thereon to petitioner will be heard at 9:30 o'clock A.M., on February 23, 1945, at the court room of Department 25, of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles.

J. F. MORONEY, County Clerk.
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The extension class, Problems in Reading and Spelling, conducted by the University of California which has been meeting Monday afternoons at the Grammar school, is in its fifth week. Many of the local teachers and neighboring districts have taken advantage of the course.

Mrs. Bertha Irvine is very ill at her home, 169 San Gabriel Ct.

Annual Meeting of Pasadena Building-Loan Association

The annual meeting of the Mutual Building & Loan Association of Pasadena was held February 7 and R. W. Caspers, president, in concluding his report said: "The association is in the strongest position in its history and we look forward with confidence to the coming months when final success in the war and the return of enlisted men and women will offer a new challenge and still greater opportunity for service. The year 1944 has been outstanding as we have not only enjoyed the largest volume of new business of any one year, but also of vastly improved facilities to serve the ever-increasing clientele. The association outgrew its office quarters on S. Los Robles and near the first of the year acquired the present beautiful home office at 315 E. Colorado, in the heart of the business district of Pasadena."

The association at the end of 1944 paid its 40th consecutive semi-annual dividend and savings account investors received during the year earnings in the sum of \$123,631.69. Five hundred ninety-seven new loans, totaling \$2,991,346.70, were made on residential properties in Pasadena and vicinity. Loans outstanding at the end of the year aggregated \$5,598,645.48, a gain of 12 1/2%. United States government bonds owned increased 217%. Savings accounts increased in private funds \$1,245,804.71, a gain of 30%. Capital, surplus, and reserves totaled at the end of the year \$468,519.40. Resources of the association were \$6,886,555.54, a gain for the year of \$967,044.34, or 17%.

Directors re-elected for the ensuing year are: R. W. Caspers, Louis R. Vincenti, H. F. Schilling, James K. Ingham and E. A. Lockett.

CITY PARK NOTES

To accommodate the Shufflers, a new locker has been constructed, the work being done by Allan Sivewright, W. S. Pinkerton, J. C. Lauber and Claude Karns. This is a valuable addition to the Park equipment.

The finishing touches have been put on the croquet grounds and the County Recreation, through J. A. Van Meter, furnished a fine set and an effort will be made to secure a youth set. Time will be divided so that the children may have their free hours.

Sunday the Parlor Horse Shoe club, comprising Messrs. J. A. Van Meter, Mohler, Robert Smith, Irwin Keith, Fred Anderson, L. Hagan, Thos. Durning and John Chambers trekked to Rosemead and two teams, formed from the San Gabriel and Sierra Madre players, were so well matched that the final score was a tie.

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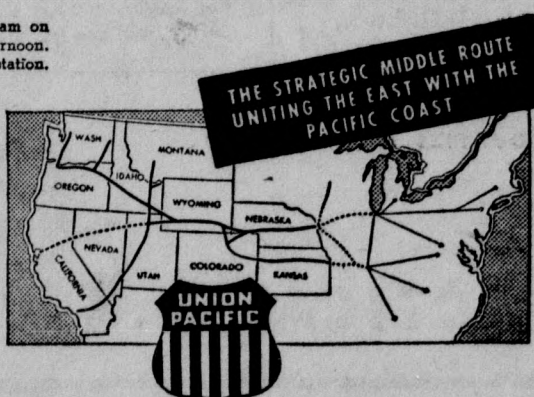
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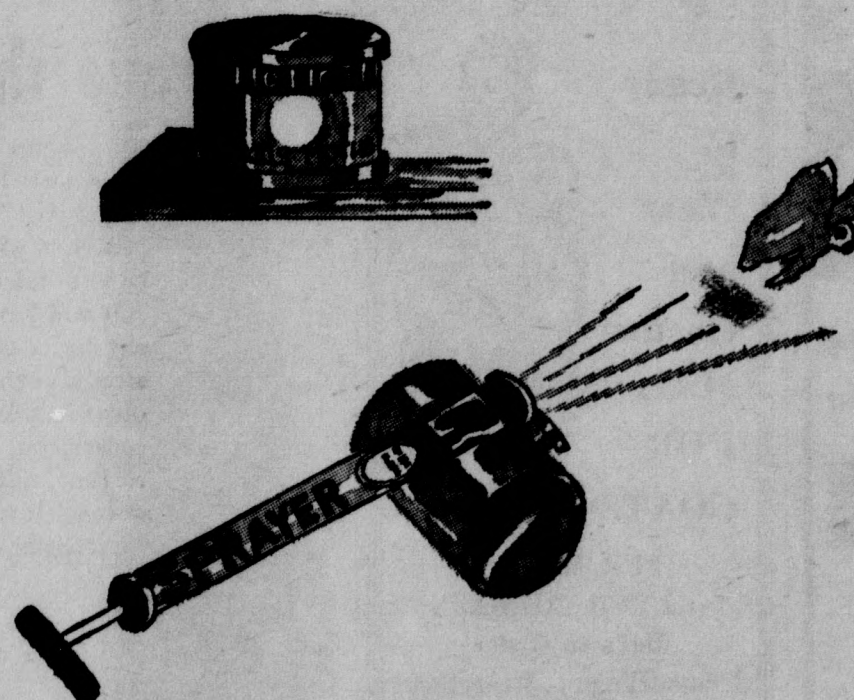
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This illustration brings out the manner in which parkway transit routes will serve the population centers in the whole metropolitan area.

How residents of this locality will be affected and benefited by the advancement of an approximately 300-mile network of parkways programmed for the Los Angeles Metropolitan Area is shown by the accompanying illustration.

Red Cross Help

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suicide attack on one of our carriers. This happened about 500 yards off our port side while the carrier was running parallel to us. A sight never to be forgotten. I've heard plenty about these suicide attacks—well, I've seen it. Very exciting while it is happening—all the noise of jet ack guns, the bursting of shells high overhead, the orange flame of tracers, drawing a line to the plane—you watch and wonder how it can fly through such stuff, then the plane turns over on its run on the target ship. You follow it down with all the bursting shells around it, suddenly you realize the plane cannot pull up, or does it intend to. We make our landing and then we'll be in it up to our necks.

I have to float my supplies for the first day into shore about 150 feet in the surf. Looking forward to plenty of excitement.

This letter shows wear and tear. I have carried it in my wallet all through the last 10 days. The last 10 days have been a nightmare. Our reception on our arrival at the Philippines was one I hope never to experience again. Naval gun fire, Jap air attacks and so much else that I cannot write about. I had a heck of a time getting a few supplies ashore, but I was able to set up a canteen within two hours after we landed. The first two days I made over 400 gallons of coffee, distributed cigarettes and comfort articles to the men. Assisted in the First Aid stations. All this was done under rather trying conditions. No one slept for 48 hours. After this first week, and one I would not care to relive. I have slept around the clock for two days. The people here are in a bad way—the Japs robbed them of everything—food, clothes, and anything that was made of metal. They were treated as slaves; the Japs paid them one peso a day for hard labor, but it cost them 250 pesos per day to live, when they could buy anything. They are all so thankful that they have been liberated. I don't think I have ever seen people as honest and sincere. Their word is as good as gold. Everybody in our outfit has given them were so hungry. Little children without enough food pull awful hard at your heart-strings. Most of the stuff I brought to open a club for the men is going to feed these people. All of us would rather eat one meal a day and share the rest with these people in need. It is a pitiful sight. The Army is now hiring the men to do odd jobs and is paying them in ration stamps. Soon it will pay them in Victory money and open stores at set low prices, so they will soon get back to normal again. The stories you hear from these people of Jap atrocities are unbelievable, but I have seen the product of some of it. From what we have seen of the Jap army it looks like they are just about on their last legs; their equipment is very inferior, and their

OUR DEMOCRACY—by Mat

FEBRUARY TWELFTH—FEBRUARY TWENTY-SECOND

MEMORIALS

TO GREAT AMERICANS

ABRAHAM LINCOLN—
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"Integrity and firmness are all I can promise. These, be the voyage long or short, shall never fail me."



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main weapon is their fanatical desire to give their lives for the emperor. This isn't very effective as our casualties have been far less than expected. Jap air raids are regular, but only by a very few planes, and none of those ever go back to where they come from. Our boys shoot them down out of the skies whenever they appear. There are wrecked Jap planes all over this place. I have served about 1700 gallons of coffee at this writing. Every night a coffee trip is made to the men on the beaches and throughout our area. Usually we distribute candy and cigarettes, or gum and maybe cookies. Stuff like that is certainly appreciated. One thing I know is that I was the first American Red Cross director to return to this area. There are others here now but they came in on later waves. I was here on the sixth wave, which was 15 minutes after the initial hour for landing. We call it Jig Hour, so Jig, plus 15 minutes is when I landed.

◆ Have you put some dimes in the March of Dimes box in the Post Office?

◆ The 48-year-old National P.T.A. is celebrating its 30th Founders' Day in Sierra Madre at the Grammar school today with a 1:30 luncheon.

WAR BONDS in Action



Signal Corps Photo
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